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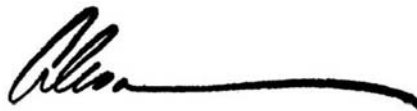
IN RE: REVIEW OF AGGREGATE	)	
MEASURABLE COST SAVINGS	)	
DETERMINED BY DIRIGO	)	ORDER ON DIRIGO MOTION
HEALTH FOR THE SECOND	)	FOR RECONSIDERATION
ASSESSMENT YEAR	)	
	)	
Docket No. INS-06-900	)	

The Superintendent issues this order on Dirigo Health's motion for reconsideration made June 30, 2006 to the Superintendent's June 26, 2006 Order on Motions. By his June 26<sup>th</sup> order the Superintendent, among other matters, denied Dirigo's motion for leave to present additional evidence made June 19, 2006. Specifically, Dirigo requests that the Superintendent reconsider his order on Dirigo's motion to present additional evidence and grant the motion for the limited purpose of using actual data that was not available for the hearing before the Dirigo Board to update the estimates in the calculations of hospital costs per case-mix-adjusted discharge (CMAD), bad debt/charity care (BD/CC), and certificate of need/capital investment fund (CON/CIF).

The Superintendent is unpersuaded by the arguments made by Dirigo for reconsideration. The data (Medicare Cost report data and certain other specified data) that Dirigo seeks leave from the Superintendent to introduce into the record of this proceeding is new data that was not presented on the record at the hearing before the Dirigo Board. The Dirigo Board did not rely on any of the proposed information to make its aggregate measurable cost savings determination that is now before the Superintendent for review. Nothing in Dirigo's argument calls into question the Superintendent's determination that this new information is irrelevant to the inquiry the Superintendent is charged with performing in this proceeding. The Superintendent acknowledges, however, that such information may be relevant in future proceedings if relied upon by Dirigo to make aggregate measurable cost savings determinations in subsequent years.

Accordingly and as further supported by the June 26, 2006 Order on Motions, the Superintendent DENIES the June 30, 2006 motion for reconsideration of Dirigo Health.

PER ORDER OF THE SUPERINTENDENT



DATED: July 5, 2006

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Superintendent of Insurance